GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4266
ANSWERED ON:18.12.2001
FAKE TOLL TAX COUPONS
VSM (RETD.) COL. CHOUDHARY

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government have been drawn to the news-item captioned `Fake Toll Tax Coupons ruin MCD collections` appearing in the `Hindustan Times` dated October 26, 2001;

(b) if so, facts of the matter reported therein;

(c) whether the Government contemplate to order an indepth enquiry/ivestigation by CBI to unearth the gang involved in printing fake toll tax coupons thereby causing huge losses to MCD;

(d) if not, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether involvement of some of the MCD officials in this racket is also being investigated; and

(f) if so, the details in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a)&(b): Yes, Sir. The Municipal authorities have detected certain instances of use of fake toll tax passes by transport vehicles.

(c)to(f): On the basis of a complaint lodged by the Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD), a case was registered at Kalyanpuri Police Station in connection with the alleged use of fake toll tax coupons. Besides, as and when the use of fake toll tax passes is detected by the MCD staff, the police is called for taking appropriate action.No involvement of MCD officials in this racket has been so far established.